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Madrid, June 30.

WE have Letters from *Barcelona*, which say, That the 20 instant, the Sieur *Evertz* arrived there with the Squadron under his Command, and that he had put ashore 3000 *Spanish* soldiers, which he took on Board at *Malaga* That the day before there arrived likewise 1200 men from *Milan*; and that the *Spanish* Armada, commanded by the Prince *de Montesarchio*, was every day expected there from *Sicily* The Marquis *de Leganez* has taken upon him the Government of *Catalonia*, *pro interim*, till the arrival of the Duke of *Bournonville*.

Ditto, July 13. The King is dissatisfied with the Count *de Monterey*, for the loss of *Puysarda*; he is commanded to remain at *Siguenza*, 20 miles off, till he have justified himself; and that he may do it Commissioners are appointed to hear him. *Don Melchar de la Cueva*, Duke of *Albuquerque*, who had such another trouble, having been declared innocent by his Judges, covered the last week as Grandee before the King. The Marquis *d'Algava* is appointed to succeed *Don Inigo de Tovedo*, in the Government of *Oran*, and accordingly he is gone thither. A Commission having been granted by the King, for the examining of Frauds committed in the Lading of the Galeons, and *New-Spain* Fleet, lying in the Bay of *Cadiz*, and for the inquiring after all *French* Manufactures, as well on Board as on shore, the same has been very strictly executed, and above 450 Bales of *French* Goods have been seized on Shore, and above 900 more on Board the Galeons, besides others thrown into the Sea by the Officers, to save their credit, and prevent punishment.

Vienna, July 12. The Baron *de Crakaw*, Envoy of the Elector of *Brandenburg*, who, we told you in our last, had had Audience of the Emperor, has been since to visit the several Ministers of this Court, and to lay before them the Reasons which induce his Electoral Highness to refuse the Conditions offered by *France* for a General Peace, for as much as they concern him, and to desire the Assistances of the Emperor in the continuance of the War. From *Hungary* we have advice, That the Rebels, upon the approach of the Imperial Troops, had been forced to quit the Blokade of *Castaw*, with the loss of 1500 men, and four pieces of Cannon. That General *Leslie* continues to draw all the Force he possibly can together, and pretends to form an Army of 20000 men, and that very speedily, which the Rebels will not be able to make head against. The last Letters we had from *Poland*, assure us, that things between the *Turks* and the *Moscovites* were going to extremities, that both sides seemed resolved to pursue the War with great eagerness, that the *Moscovites* on their part would bring the greatest Army into the Field that had been seen in that Countrey in many years; but that which somewhat discomposed their Affairs, was the continuance of the indisposition of the young Czar, which was the cause of much division among the great men of that Court.

Stralsond, July 12. We are now, in a manner, again besieged by Land and Water, the *Brandenburgs* and *Lunenburgs* shutting us up, that nothing can come to us by Land; and the *Danes* lie at Anchor before the Isle of *Rugen*, having suffered much damage by the late storms, so that we believe their ships in repair, and that they will not as yet attack the said Island, for the defence of which all necessary preparations are made by the *Suedes*. We have News by Sea, that the King of *Sueden* has taken *Christianstadt* by storm.

Anclam, July 13. Last Monday his Electoral Highness of *Brandenburgh* arrived here, and caused a Camp to be marked a mile from hence; there are already eight Regiments, and the rest of the Army is expected to day or to morrow, so that we shall see some Action very suddenly. The Electoral Prince is likewise expected here.

Hamburgh, July 16. They write from the Countrey of *Mecklenburg*, That the Elector of *Brandenburgs* Army was 10000 men strong, but that his design was not yet known, and that the *Luxenburgs* stood likewise ready to march. We hear from the *Lunenburgs* Countrey, that besides the Forces that are gone into *Pomeren*, five Companies are detached of every Regiment, and are to go to join the *Imperialists* near the *Rhine*, to act against the *French*. It is confirmed from *Riga*, by Letters of *July* 7. that Velt Mareschal *Horne* was expected there from *Stockholm*, and that the *Livonian* Army was to march so soon as he arrives, but how strong they were, they could not certainly tell; that the *Turks* made great preparations against the *Moscovites*, and that the great Czar would go in person into the Field against them.

Copenhagen, July 18. The late Commander of *Elfsinburg* hath been not only beheaded in the Sueduh Camp, but his Head for a greater ignominy, hath been set up upon a Pole in the High-way, the King of *Sueden* being extreamly offended that he defended the Castle of *Elfsinburg* no better: the strong Fortress of *Babus* holds out still, and it appears that the taking of it is not so easie a work, as it was at first believed. The King and Queen are at present at *Landscroon*, whether the Heer *Tromp* is gone to take his leave of them, in order to his return home. The last report we had of the Suedes having made an Assault upon *Christianstadt*, and of their having been repulsed in it, is no more confirmed than several other reports we have formerly had of the same kind; it is certain, that the place begins to be very much straightned, and that the Suedes knowing very well, it is not likely they will expose their men in attacking a place which of necessity must fall of its own accord into their hands. We have nothing new from our Fleet.

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